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Pauri Campus
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Hemvati Nandan Bahuguna (HNB) Garhwal University Pauri Campus has sufficient infrastructure and academic facilities as per prescribed standards of central universities in the country;
(b) if so, the details thereof;
(c) whether Commerce Stream/Faculty is available at Pauri Campus of HNB Garhwal University and if so, the details thereof, if not the steps taken by the Government to provide Commerce stream/ faculty at the above campus;
(d) if so, whether Auditorium and Stadium facilities are available at Pauri Campus of the University;
(e) if so, the details thereof and if not, reasons therefor; and
(f) the steps taken by the Government to make available all academic and infrastructural facilities at Pauri Campus?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
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(a) to (f): At present, there are 18 Teaching Departments under 7 different Schools with about 75 Teaching Faculties (including 34 Guest Faculties), 46 Non-Teaching employees and 1800 Students at Pauri Campus of the Hemvati Nandan Bahuguna (HNB) Garhwal University. The total area of the Campus is 25 acres out of which built up area is 15400 square meters.
Several infrastructural facilities have been developed / renovated like Arts Block, Science Block, Girls' Hostel, Guest House and Faculty Residence at Pauri Campus since conversion of the HNB Garhwal University into a Central University in 2009. However, Commerce Stream / Faculty, auditorium and stadium facilities are not available at Pauri Campus.
Development of infrastructural and academic facilities is an ongoing process. The University, being an autonomous organization established under the Act of Parliament, is competent to take all decisions in academic and administrative matters, including opening of new Faculty and development of infrastructure, keeping in view the requirements, priorities and overall availability of resources.
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